

This Listing of Claims does not amend the claims and is provided for the Examiner's convenience.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A method comprising:
providing a first set of categories of broadcasted programs;
providing a second set of categories of broadcasted programs; and
adding a first category from the first set to the second set of categories of broadcasted programs in response to tuning a broadcasted program viewing device to a broadcasted program fitting into the first category of the first set of categories a predetermined number of times, wherein the predetermined number of times is greater than 1.
2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
removing a second category from the second set upon a selecting of the second category from the second set.
3. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
removing a second category from the second set upon a broadcasted program viewing device not being tuned, for a period of time at least equal to a first predetermined threshold, to at least one broadcasted program predetermined to be in the second category from the second set.
4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
tuning a broadcasted program viewing device to a channel on which a broadcasted program predetermined to be in a second category from the second set will be broadcasted within a predetermined threshold of a current time.

5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

tuning a broadcasted program viewing device, upon a singular pressing of a button, to a channel on which a broadcasted program predetermined to be in a second category from the second set will be broadcasted within a predetermined threshold of a current time.

6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

verifying the adding of the first category from the first set to the second set including receiving user input confirming the addition of the first category.

7. (Currently Amended) One or more tangible computer-readable media storing instructions that, when executed by a processor, cause the processor to perform a method, comprising:

providing a first set of categories of broadcasted programs;

providing a second set of categories; and

adding a first category from the first set to the second set of categories of broadcasted programs in response to tuning a broadcasted program viewing device to a broadcasted program fitting into the first category of the first set of categories a predetermined number of times, wherein the predetermined number of times is greater than 1.

8. (Currently Amended) The one or more tangible computer-readable media of claim 7, wherein the method further comprises:

removing a second category from the second set upon a selecting of the second category from the second set.

9. (Currently Amended) The one or more tangible computer-readable media of claim 7, wherein the method further comprises:

removing a second category from the second set upon a broadcasted program viewing device not being tuned, for a period of time at least equal to a first predetermined threshold, to at least one broadcasted program predetermined to be in the second category from the second set.

10. (Currently Amended) The one or more tangible computer-readable media of claim 7, wherein the method further comprises:

tuning a broadcasted program viewing device to a channel on which a broadcasted program predetermined to be in a second category from the second set will be broadcasted within a predetermined threshold of a current time.

11. (Currently Amended) The one or more tangible computer-readable media of claim 7, wherein the method further comprises:

tuning a broadcasted program viewing device, upon a singular pressing of a button, to a channel on which a broadcasted program predetermined to be in a second category from the second set will be broadcasted within a predetermined threshold of a current time.

12. (Currently Amended) The one or more tangible computer-readable media of claim 7, wherein the method further comprises:

verifying the adding of the first category from the first set to the second set including receiving user input confirming the addition of the first category.

13. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a first unit ~~to provide~~ providing a first set of categories of content of broadcasted programs; and

a second unit coupled with the first unit and configured to add a category from the first set to a second set of categories of broadcasted programs in response to selecting the

category from the first set and tuning a broadcasted program viewing device, for a period of time at least equal to a first predetermined threshold, to at least one broadcasted program predetermined to be in the category from the first set, wherein the second unit further includes a user verification wherein a user approves the category from the first set being added to the second set prior to the category being added.

14. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 13, wherein the second unit is also configured to remove a category from the second set upon a selecting of the category from the second set.

15. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 13, wherein the second unit is also configured to remove a category from the second set upon a broadcasted program viewing device not being tuned, for a period of time at least equal to a second predetermined threshold, to at least one broadcasted program predetermined to be in the category from the second set.

16. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 13, wherein the second unit is also configured to tune a broadcasted program viewing device to a channel on which a broadcasted program predetermined to be in a category from the second set will be broadcasted within a predetermined threshold of a current time.

17. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 13, wherein the second unit is also configured to tune a broadcasted program viewing device, upon a singular pressing of a button, to a channel on which a broadcasted program predetermined to be in a category from the second set will be broadcasted within a predetermined threshold of a current time.

18. (Cancelled)

19. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the first and second sets are located in a set top box.

20. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 13, wherein the first and second units are located in a set top box.

21. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the predetermined number of times is predetermined prior to providing the first set of categories of broadcast programs.